The Muslim Succession Bill.

Mr. K. Mohamed Seethi.—Sir, I rise to move that the Bill entitled "The Muslim Succession Bill" be read in Council.

Mr. K. Ayyappan.—I second it.

Secretary to the Council.—The title of the bill is "The Muslim Succession Bill".

Mr. K. Mohamed Seethi.—Sir, I move that the Bill be referred to a Select Committee consisting of Messrs. A. Sankara Poduval, George Chakyamuri, K. M. Ibrahim, K. Ayyappan, the Government Advocate and Law Officer and the Mover.

Mr. Joseph Pettah.—I second it.

Deputy President.—The question before the House is that the Cochin Muslim Succession Bill be referred to a Select Committee consisting of Messrs. A. Sankara Poduval, George Chakyamuri, K. M. Ibrahim, K. Ayyappan, the Government Advocate and Law Officer and the Mover.

Motion carried.

Deputy President.—I nominate the Law Member as Chairman. I shall fix the time for submitting the Report of the Select Committee as three months.

A Bill to amend and declare the law relating to the Dissolution of Muslim Marriages.

Mr. K. Mohamed Seethi.—Sir, I beg to move that the Bill entitled "A Bill to amend and declare the Law relating to the dissolution of Muslim Marriages" be read in Council.

Mr. K. Ayyappan.—I second it.

Secretary to the Council—The title of the Bill is "A bill to amend and declare the Law relating to the dissolution of Muslim Marriages".

Mr. K. Mohamed Seethi.—Sir, I rise to move that the Bill be referred to a Select Committee consisting of Messrs. A. Sankara Menon, M. K. Raman, K. M. Ibrahim, Government Advocate and the Mover.

Motion put and carried.

Deputy President.—Though I have the power to nominate the Chairman I would like to know from you as to whom you would suggest, Mr. Seethi.

Mr. K. Mohamed Seethi.—The Law Member may be nominated as the Chairman.

Deputy President.—I nominate the Law Member as Chairman. The period for submitting the Report of the Select Committee is fixed as three months.

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